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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated January 28, 2008, now due to expire April 28, 2008, be extended for three month(s) and set to expire on July 28, 2008.

Please charge the extension fee of \$1050.00 to Deposit Account No. 502624. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 502624.

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